

## BURSLEM OF BURSLEM, STAFFS

ARMS: Argent ten escallops 4 3 2 & 1 sable [SHC 1909 40]

CREST:

VARIANT: BURWASLEM

William Burslem of Burslem yeoman  
(sued by John Harcourt for a debt) Easter 1464 [SHC 1901 133]

Thomas Burslem of Burslem yeoman  
(sued by John Harcourt for a debt) Easter 1464 [SHC 1901 133]

Thomas Burslem of Burslem, Staffs c1490-  
m ? Joan Rowley dau and heir of John Rowley of Oldcote Park  
Will (...) 13 Mar 1554.5/.....  
(? of Dale Hall, Burslem)  
chn: John Burslem  
      William Burslem  
      Eleanor Burslem  
      .[dau]. Burslem b c1535

?1532. your orators John B. of B. yeoman and Ellen B. sister of the said John ....  
sixteen years past ... [held freehold land at Betley [SHC 1907 150]

?1543. Thomas B. ... William his son ... John Rowley of the Parke [his father-in-  
law] ... John B. and Ellen his sister children of the daughter of the said John R.  
now wife [to Thomas B.] [SHC 1907 168-9]

13 Mar 1554.5 ... the xiiij day of Marche in the yere of or Lorde God mcccccliij  
Thomas burslem of burslem seke in body and hoole of momore make mt last wyll and  
Testament in thys man anf forme follownge. I prmis I bequethe myswlle unto God  
Almyghty Or Lady sente Mare and unto all the hooly cupanye of heven and my body to  
be buryed wtin the hee chancel of burslem. Itm I doo gyff John Burslem my eldest son  
and heyre a weeting fawte a malte qwhyche a cowfer and a tubbe stoone. Itm the  
resydue of my goodes my bequestes and dettes payde and I browghgte howme of the  
hoole I wyll and gyff all the rest of my goodes my bequestes and dettes payed the  
iiijth parte unto jhan burslem my wyff and the rest of my goodes unto my iiijth  
chyldre now unmarried. Itm I qyff the iiijth parte of a coollemyne callt the grete  
Rooe unto Jhan Burslem my wyff and Wyllm burslem my yownger sone theyfor to occupye  
and to have hyte equally betwyx them during my wiffes lyff and after her decesse,  
then I wyll and qyff my forsaid iiijth pte of the myne unto Willem burslem my  
yownger son to hym and hys assyignes for ever. Itm I cosyttute and make my trewe and  
lauffull executors Jhan burslem my wyff, John burslem and Wyllm burslem my sonnes and  
Roger Machin of Pencle. Itm I make my overseers Wyllm burne of Chelle and Sr thomas  
tunstall my gostely fadr they for to see that thys my laste wyll perforet and donne  
acordyng to the helthe of my sowlle wt other moo &c....the day and yere befoesayd.  
Md dettes owghyng unto me. In prmis John burslem 3l. 7s. Itm apon anoder pte 20s.  
Thomas Bothe of Pencle 1l. 3s. 4d. Itm Thomas burne of Chelle heethe 7s. It,  
Nycholaus cokeson 3s. 4d. Itm Jhanus Colclogh of brerhurst the one half of ijth  
bloomes and styecche. Itm Roger Maychn of Pencle a ceten sum of money the qwhyche I  
doo bequetth and gyff hyt unto Wyllm Machyn hys son. Itm John byrche of ye new  
cassyll [ie Newcastle-under-Lyme, Staffs.], ijs. Itm Md dettes that I doo owghe-unto  
Ryc. Danyell the elder xxiiis [?SOURCE]

John Burslem of Burslem in Stoke-upon-Trent, Staffs c1533-  
(a juror, for Pirehill Hundred at the Staffordshire Quarter Sessions) Easter 1586  
chn: Joan Burslem m 20 Oct 1594 Thomas Adams (of Burslem in Stoke-upon-Trent,  
Staffs) c1550-  
      .... QV

[? FATHER OF]

Thomas Burslem of Burslem, Staffs c1563-1627  
m Mary dau and coheir of William Ford of "The Mosse", Stafford c1550-a1590 [SLG];  
d 1640  
d 1627  
(J.P., Staffs) Sep-Oct 1653(appointed by mistake)  
(said to be grandson of John Burselm of Dale Hall)  
chn: Catherine Burslem [coheir] m William Colclough of Burslem in Stoke-upon-Trent,  
Staffs  
c1593-1662 QV; d 1669  
Margaret Burslem [coheir] m Gilbert Wedgwood of Burslem, Staffs 1588-1678 QV

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\*1614/1664 88 note; SHC 1909 40 (4/4/04)

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#### **BURSLEM OF NEWCASTLE-UNDER-LYME, STAFFS**

ARMS:

CREST:

Thomas Burslem  
(as Mr., 5 hearths, Newcastle-under-Lyme) 1666 HT

..... Burslem of Newcastle-under-Lyme, Staffs  
(Mayor, Newcastle-under-Lyme) twice in 1660s  
chn: James Burslem below

James Burslem of Newcastle-under-Lyme, Staffs c1630-  
m 30 Mar 1656 Newcastle-under-Lyme: Rebecca Warner dau of Humphrey Warner of Abbots  
Bromley, Staffs ..... QV  
chn: .[son]. Burslem [1]  
William Burslem c 14 Oct 1662 ..... below

William Burslem of Newcastle-under-Lyme, Staffs 1662-1716  
c 14 Oct 1662 .....  
m 28 Jul 1681 Abbots Bromley: Dorothy Watson dau and coheir=b of Daniel Watson of  
Burton-upon-Trent, Staffs c1617-1683 QV; b c1661  
d 17 Apr 1716 Oxford  
(Mayor, Newcastle-under-Lyme) 1690-1 1696-7  
(Receiver-General, Staffs) 1700-6  
(M.P., Newcastle-under-Lyme) 1710-5 [PARL]  
chn: Thomas Watson b 20 Feb 1685.6; i 8 Jan 1698.9 .....  
[7 sons, 2 dvp] [4 daus, 2 dvp]

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